

TABLE 4.—2003 SEASONAL AND SPATIAL APPORTIONMENTS, GEAR SHARES,  
AND CDQ RESERVE OF THE BSAI ATKA MACKEREL TAC<sup>1</sup> [Amounts are in mt]

Subarea & Component	TAC	CDQ reserve	ITAC	Seasonal apportionment <sup>2</sup>			
				A Season <sup>3</sup>		B Season <sup>4</sup>	
				Total	HLA Limit <sup>5</sup>	Total	HLA Limit <sup>5</sup>
Western Aleutian district	19,990	1,499	18,491	9,245	5,547	9,245	5,547
Central Aleutian district	29,360	2,202	27,158	13,579	8,147	13,579	8,147
Eastern AI/BS subarea <sup>6</sup>	10,650	799	9,851				
Jig (1 %) <sup>7</sup>			99				
Other gear (99%)			9,753	4,876		4,876	
Total	60,000	4,500	55,500	27,701		27,701	

<sup>1</sup> Regulations at §§ 679.20(a)(8)(ii) and 679.22(a)(8) establish temporal and spatial limitations for the Atka mackerel fishery.

<sup>2</sup> The seasonal apportionment of Atka mackerel is 50 percent in the A season and 50 percent in the B season.

<sup>3</sup> The A season is January 1 through April 15, however trawl gear is prohibited until January 20.

<sup>4</sup> The B season is September 1 through November 1.

<sup>5</sup> HLA limit refers to the amount of each seasonal allowance that is available for fishing inside the HLA (§ 679.2). In 2003, 60 percent of each seasonal allowance is available for fishing inside the HLA in the Western and Central Aleutian districts.

<sup>6</sup> Eastern Aleutian district and the Bering Sea subarea.

<sup>7</sup> Regulations at § 679.20(a)(8)(i) require that up to 2 percent of the Eastern Aleutian district and the Bering Sea subarea ITAC be allocated to the jig gear fleet. The amount of this allocation is 1 percent. The jig gear allocation is not apportioned by season.